

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Applicant: RONALD LESLIE MANN	)	
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Mail Box: AMENDMENTS  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 24, 2009, the time for response having been extended to September 24, 2009, by the 2-months extension fee paid concurrently herewith, the Applicant hereby respectfully submits the following amendment and arguments:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.